NOTICE OF RENEWAL OF TITLE V PERMIT

The South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) is the air pollution control agency for all of Orange County and portions of Los Angeles, Riverside and San Bernardino Counties. Rule 3006 requires that the SCAQMD publish this notice prior to the renewal of a Title V permit previously issued to the facility listed below:

US Govt. Veterans Affairs. Med. Center

5901 East 7th Street Long Beach, CA 90822 Facility ID# 13990 Contact Person:

Rick Banfield Engineer 5901 East 7th Street Long Beach, CA 90822

This an existing facility applying for a Title V permit renewal that is engaged in operating boilers, emergency generators, spray booth, gasoline dispening and storage and other supporting equipment.

Pursuant to Title V of the federal Clean Air Act and SCAQMD Rule 3004(f), a Title V permit shall expire five years from the date of issuance, unless such permit has been renewed. Accordingly, the above facility has submitted a Title V renewal application and requested that SCAQMD renew their Title V permit. The proposed permit incorporates updates to the facility information, as provided in the facility's Title V renewal application, as well as updates to all rules and regulations that are currently applicable to the facility.

As required by Title V of the Federal Clean Air Act, Title V permits include all of the emission limits, applicable requirements and operating conditions imposed on the equipment. Title V facilities are required to certify compliance with the Title V permits in addition to recordkeeping and mandatory reporting of any deviation from the permit conditions.

The proposed permit is available for public review at SCAQMD, 21865 Copley Dr., Diamond Bar, CA 91765 and at the Los Altos Neighborhood Library, 5614 Britton Street, Long Beach, CA 90815. The proposed permit can also be viewed at http://www3.aqmd.gov/webappl/publicnotices2/ by entering the Company ID 13990 followed by the Search Button. Information regarding the facility owner's compliance history submitted to the SCAQMD pursuant to California Health & Safety Code Section 42336, or otherwise known to the SCAQMD based on credible information, is also available from the SCAQMD for public review. Anyone wishing to comment on the issuance of the proposed permit should submit their

comments in writing by <u>December 16, 2015</u>. Written comments should be submitted to:

South Coast Air Quality Management District Engineering and Compliance Office 21865 Copley Drive Diamond Bar, CA 91765-4178

Diamond Bar, CA 91765-4178 Attention: Mr. Andrew Lee

Sr. AQ Engineer Manager

If you are concerned primarily about zoning decisions and the process by which this facility has been sited at this location, you should contact your local city or county planning department. For additional information, please contact Mr. Lee at (909) 396-2463 or by email at Alee@aqmd.gov.

The public may request the SCAOMD to conduct a public hearing on the proposed permit by submitting a Hearing Request Form (Form 500-G) to Mr. Lee at the above SCAQMD address. The public hearing request must contain all the information requested on the form in order for the SCAQMD to determine whether or not the request is valid or if a public hearing will be held. The public hearing request forms may be obtained from the SCAQMD by calling the Title V hotline at (909) 396-3013, or downloading from the internet at http://www.aqmd.gov/docs/default-source/grants/500-gform.pdf?sfvrsn. Any request for a public hearing must be submitted to the SCAQMD no later than **December** 1, 2015. A copy of the public hearing request must also be sent by first class mail to the facility contact person listed above, at the same time.

Right to Petition U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for Reconsideration: Title V Permits are also subject to review and approval by US EPA. If a public comment is sent to the SCAQMD for this permit, and the SCAQMD has not addressed the comment in a satisfactory manner, and the EPA has not objected to the proposed permit, then the public may submit a petition requesting that the EPA reconsider the decision not to object. Petitions shall be submitted to US EPA, Region 9, Operating Permits Section at 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, CA 94105, within 60 days after the end of the 45-day EPA review period. The EPA review period for this permit starts no earlier than November 10, 2015. review status be found may http://www2.epa.gov/caa-permitting/electronic-permitsubmittal-system-region-9.